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THE NEW CITY from the accomplishment of the weld-ITS RULER York is the question of how to govern the consolidated cities. The new char-arrant hypocrisy.

ter gives to the Mayor enormous power, and, if he chooses to so employ it, patronage which redoubles his power. Perbaps to no man in modern history was offered so great an opportunity for good or for evil as will be presented to him who shall be chosen Mayor of Greater New York. To no electorate has there been offered a choice so pregnant with ANTI-TRUST LAW, applies to combinations of labor as well good or bad as that which shall be offered the people of this great consolidated municipality at its first election.

charter is virtually accepted, that the part of wise and The application of the act to labor unions was first raised vidual edly criticising the admittedly weak features of the char- Workingmen's Amalgamated Council. District Judge Bill-

nicipal empire, for domination here means great authority circumstances was a violation of this act. party of the small towns and the villages.

cess in jeopardy. However eminent the man Tammany- far who had expressed any doubts on this point. for example-might nominate, if he had joined heartily in the campaign of the Democracy last Fall, the gold Demo- for the labor organizations of which they have not already crats-no inconsiderable a body-would oppose him; if he been copiously and insistently made aware. They are not, had sulked in his tent or antagonized the national ticket therefore, likely to regard the decision in the Trans-Misthe loyal Democrats, who cast 135,000 votes in New York souri Freight Association case with quite the same feelings City alone, would fight him.

into a municipal election. In this case they will unless the found the Sherman act applicable to labor combinations is Democratic organization chooses for the Democratic nomi- in curious contrast with the tone of the discussion of the nee a man so thoroughly disassociated with both wings of bill when it was passing through Congress. Its possithat party that neither can feel itself affronted by the ble effect, as originally introduced and finally enacted, upon choice or fear peril in the event of his election. Democracy such combinations was not overlooked, and an amendment can well afford to contribute to New York a non-partisan was offered distinctly providing that the act should not ap-Mayor-not such a spurious type of non-partisanship as ply to them. The amendment was not adopted, mainly has been afforded by Mayor Strong, but a man who would because of the argument that it was superfluous, since the willing to stand. manage all municipal affairs as-for example-Colonel act plainly did not make a labor combination a conspiracy George E. Waring, Jr., has managed the Street Cleaning in restraint of trade. But the courts have adopted quite a Department, over which he has had authority.

victions at any proper time or place. Political liberty and no political pull should be the maxim in the city's executive

Will the practical politicians in whose hands lies the political destiny of Greater New York recognize the wisdom

Well-fed and well-clo COAL MINERS, other commedities, will be slow to be- who have been flourishing for years in New York without Heve the story that comes from Colum- interference.

abounding continent, in this vast Christian community, all him and his methods as instruments of blackmailers, perof whose members are guaranteed equal rights by the Conunable to procure work, are without even garbage as a prosecution of such creatures. means of subsistence. It is preposterous."

man beings, the slaves of those who have secured posses- of our citizens.

Unless their necessities shall be at once relieved they will called Democrats who are making such claims at the present the story of the world's progress. charitable should respond. It is better to feed the starving sider during the heat of the campaign last year. than to turn a deaf ear to his cry for help.

men are permitted to deprive the many of their rights of access to natural opportunities.

I believe in giving everything to the city, even if it costs privilege. money. The citizens of New York ought to be thankful to Tweed for the improvements he gave them. He opened up the grand boulevards and avenues and paved the way for making New York a great and splendid city. What if he did take \$100,000 or \$200,000 a year, he was worth it, and if he were alive to-day I

What is there so terrible about that? It is true that the late Mr. Tweed, though the Mayor does not appear to recall the fact, took rather more than even \$200,000 a year out of pool promoters fall out the honest consumers get their dues. the pockets of the taxpayers; and that, indeed, his private The general public can forget its own troubles long enough to exactions amounted to about as many millions as the hun-enjoy the troubles of the railway pools.

dreds of thousands the Mayor named. But, as Mayor public he was robbing.

That is sufficient answer to any contemporary criticism of Mr. Tweed. It is the victorious argument with which the protective tariff is defended. It is the likewise victorious The immediate issue which will arise argument upon which our fellow-townsman, Senator Platt, relies in his claim to public esteem and confidence. In a ing together of the municipal units word, it is the argument upon which our present social which shall compose Greater New state, from the trusts to the Legislature, is wholly based. In an era of Tweedery attacks upon Tweed's memory are

> Some of the trust organs have made the discovery that the decision of the United States Supreme Court in the AND THE Frans-Missouri Traffic Association case

covery is somewhat tardy. The trouble with the act of The Journal does not, like many well-purposing people, July 2, 1890, commonly known as the Sherman act, has been the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fifth Cir-That great political organizations should hope to control cuit. District Judge Speer, of the same circuit, held, in prorupt motives to explain the eagerness of Mr. Croker or road be directed to enter into a contract with them, that a

in the national counsels. But though a Legislature con- In the case of the Unifed States against Debs and others, trolled by Mr. Platt has given Greater New York its gene- arising out of the Chicago strike of 1894, Judge Woods unsis, the Journal does not believe that the consolidated dertook to show in a somewhat elaborate opinion that the cities will bow under the yoke of the man who has long Anti-Trust act did not alone regard capitalistic combinastrived to govern them by aid of country legislators, and, so tion, but was aimed against labor organizations as well. striving, has imposed upon them nearly every irritating He said among other things: "Does the guilt or innocence and oppressive regulation under which their people chafe. of the defendants of the charge of conspiracy under this Greater New York by its very greatness-if all its component statute depend on the proof there may be of their success competent to solve the problems of the second greatest its accomplishment by themselves and by those in volun-States vs. Phelan, in a proceeding to punish as a contempt can at its first election, there is as little probability of its that issued in Chicago, Circuit Judges Taft and Lurton being partisanly Democratic. The Democratic organiza- held that this act was clearly applicable to the strike of the tions must not only get together, but they must recognize American Railway Union, and they referred with dissent to To the Editor of the New York Journal: that within their own ranks are dissensions which put suc-

It will be perceived that the Anti-Trust act has no terrors that, the trust organs evidently expect them to do. The re-It is easy to say that national issues should not enter markable unanimity with which the Federal bench has different rule of interpretation, evidently agreeing with s

The prompt prosecution and conviction of Gibson, the private detective, is a distinct public service, and Assistant

bus, Ohio. "It is impossible," they will say, "that in this The private detective has grown to be a species of lifree republic, on this new, fertile, rich and opportunity- censed criminal. Again and again the courts have shown

public, issued by the Executive Committee of the United unable to reach Newcomb, but the Journal respectfully should not be compelled to season his breakfast with it.

waste away and perish miserably. To this appeal the time have simply opened their eyes to facts they refused to con-

By lopping of the heads of the bolting office-holders Presi- To the Editor of the New York Journal: But all the charity in the world, if concentrated upon deut McKinley causes the friends of Mr. Cleveland to accuse him

The spectacle of Tom Platt making the rounds of the Wash. multitude.

modern theories of social life. These bunal than the Supreme Court of the United States. The latter were the Mayor's words, if they were correctly transcribed: body has never denied such recognition of a great American

Mr. Cleveland takes to private citizenship at Princeton like a

The latest combine to collapse is the iron ore pool. When which it gives to the public? I think there will be a consensus of opinion that

dreds of thousands the Mayor named. But, as Mayor Strong points out, he gave a modicum of his stealings to the MORE HINTS TO OUR CONTEMPORARIES ON WHAT AND WHAT NOT TO PRINT.

"The Journal is infinitely superior to the World, morally, mentally, and typographically."--- From the New York Sun.

Professor Wright, of Yale, on Newspaper Morals. To the Editor of the New York Journal

fair-minded and right-thinking person would say ought to be avoided. Among

edly criticising the admittedly weak features of the char- Workingmen's Amalgamated Council. District Judge Bill- should be avoided on the general ground of public morality; such as a minute more unfair and doing more harm than in any other respects. And here all ter, which after all we may in time remedy. Let us look ings granted an injunction, and his order was affirmed by in general-especially if it is accompanied with exaggeration for effect, would of the better and Christian elements of the community. seem plainly inconsistent with the interest of good morals, as tending to familiarize the reader with the details of such matters and so diminish his this new city—a city greater than many States—is wholly ceedings upon a petition of a committee of the Brotherhood sensibility to moral influence. The result of such a policy must be to lower the natural. We do not have to ascribe to either base or corof Locomotive Engineers asking that the receivers of a railrupt motives to explain the eagerness of Mr. Croker or road he directed to enter into a contract with them that a mr. Platt to be the dominant political factor in this murule of that order requiring them to strike under certain

topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper ought to be such as would be topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper should print all the news, but discriminations topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper should print all the news, but discriminations topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper should print all the news, but discriminations topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper ought to be such as would be topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper should print all the news, but discriminations topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper ought to be such as would be topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper ought to be such as would be topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper ought to be such as would be topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper ought to be such as would be topics that are allowed to go into a newspaper ought to be such as would be used in the handling of it. I would not have any legitimate item ne of public opinion and a high level of morals.

Similar remarks might be made as to the general tone and style of news-paper communications, and the newspapers should stand as the conservators of the best interests of the general public in such matters

ARTHUR W. WRIGHT,
Professor of Experimental Physics, Yale University.

By Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, Rabbi of Sinai Synagogue.

Chicago, March 26.-There is a great deal of hypocrisy in the cry that is beparts co-operate—will overthrow the long-time domination in drawing to the support of their design those who may generally first to rush after the papers they denounce. I believe a newspaper must be called capitalists, or does it depend upon the character should be a micror in which to see all the daily happenings of the world. It and the rights of their own rural districts, are in no way of the design itself and upon what has been done toward should print all the news. We may, however, honestly differ as to the promicity of the world. Residents of urban New York have by bitter experience learned that the Republican party is the party of the small towns and the villages. papers. It is within our province to criticise the manner of handling the news, but we have no right to say certain things should be printed and others sayor of nastiness or brutality. Scant as is the chance of the new city's being Republiof court the violation of an order of injunction similar to
facts given fairly and without bias.

Dr. Madison C. Peters on Limitations of News.

The managing editor of a large daily some time ago needed new reporters, He paid no attention to the letters of recommendation, but asked all whom he called into the office to write out an answer to "What is news?

"Half an hour to answer that question, young gentlemen. Then I shall know how to make my choice."

Here are a few of the answers of the successful competitors:

"News is anything that the general public ought to know."
"News consists of events that are either very usual or very unusual," "News is the daily record of the human race put into convenient form for

ne public."
"News is the panaroma of the world every twenty-four hours in embryo."

'News is whatever the public will read and pay for

"News is anything from Jones's arrival in town to the fall of an empire,"
"News is historical fact. It is what occurs, not what is imagined."
"News is the truth concerning men, nations and things. That is, truth conrning them which is helpful, or pleasant, or useful, or necessary for a reader

The last answer is a test which every high class newspaper should be

Crime should be reported-not its shocking details-but the facts. Many a To the Editor of the New York Journal: lawbreaker has been brought to justice because the press accounts of crime fly as on the wings of the wind. Give the news straight. Don't garble, distort charge subordinates because of their political beliefs, nor yet interfere with their expression of their political constitutions at any proper time or place. Political liberty and decision if the railroads can.

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Intelligence. Write only that to which you can suffix your name, and don't ask me to take into my house for my mother, wife and daughters to read what you would not have your own read with pride.

MADISON C. PETERS. New York, March 26.

Gen. Boynton's Broad Views.

Washington, D. C., March 26.-Everything is news that affects the standing District Attorney Philip Carpenter is
PRIVATE SPIES. entitled to the credit of the first conviction for perjury in the New York courts and proper functions of a newspaper. Flagrant indecencies in the private life

the individual has brought himself, through his own actions, into public prominence, he should be safe.

H. V. BOYNTON. inence, he should be safe. ("Dean" of the corps of Washington newspaper correspondents.)

By the Rev. Dr. Joseph Silverman.

There is very little to add to all that has been so well said on this subject of whose members are guaranteed equal rights by the Congrigation of whose members are guaranteed equal rights by the Congrigation of whose members are guaranteed equal rights by the Congrigation of whose members are guaranteed equal rights by the Congrigation of whose members are guaranteed equal rights by the Congrigation of whose members are guaranteed equal rights by the Congrigation of commonplace crime. Understand, it is to add to all that has been so well said on this subject ation of commonplace crime. Understand, it is to add to all that has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been a protection to himself because of the trial. He has been a protection to himself because of the trial. He has been a protection to himself because of the trial. He has been a protection to himself because of the trial. He has been a protection to himself because of the trial. He has been a protection to himself because of the trial. He has been a protection to himself because of the trial. He has been a protection to himself because of the trial which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discussed in public and private time and time again. All agree which has been discu Gibson was the employe of one L. A. Newcomb, the details, the old tale of infidelity. It is not news to have all the evils of human places of the police court. Preposterous it may be, but it is true. Such facts as the second for expension of an address to the manager of a herd of private detectives who have figured again and again. And the unsophisticated, to whom the fourth of the second of life and the second of the second of life and the second of lif Preposterous it may be, but it is true. Such facts, as manager of a herd of private detectives who have figured nature brought to light again and again. And the unsophisticated, to whom

A newspaper should spread a banquet before its readers each day-a fare Mine Workers. They are attested by experiences reported by many reputable persons, and there is no chance whatever that they have been exaggerated. Thousands of hudaily before his readers such matters that only tend to feed the morbid appe-

sion of the coal mines, which God placed in the earth for the benefit of mankind and not merely for a part of it, have been reduced by "the irresistible tendency of modern have been reduced by "the irresistible tendency of modern with the Democrate who voted for him last November is not his pupils. The editor is only a greater teacher and has a larger school. The with the Democrate who voted for him last November is not his pupils. The editor is only a greater teacher and has a larger school. The with the Democrate who voted for him last November is not his pupils. The editor is only a greater teacher and has a larger school. The editor is, to speak more specifically, a teacher of up-to-date history, and must valid. All during the campaign these gentlemen declared it was feel that he is each day instructing the world in the universal record of yesbusiness," as it is called, to want and woe inconceivable patriofism and not the offices that actuated them, and as for the terday's events. He is the daily preacher as well, by most of us.

1 am asked, "within two hundred words or less," to state what, in my opinion, is "justifiable and proper news for publication in a metropolitan daily The Mine Workers, who represent and partially compose and gave prominence to his well-known views on the art of tax- to-morrow. The historian must carefully sift the details of events.

Rev. Mr. Kraeling's Counsel to the Editor. If the saying "The pen is mightier than the sword" be true, it means that

the miners who have now fallen victims to the "irresistible tendency," will not prevent an indefinite number of
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MAYOR STRONG Mayor Strong unfavorably because of PRAISES

PRAISES

The a man who has been so widely advertised as a dictator Mr. Platt has suffered considerable of a slump at both ends of his political lines.

For a man who has been so widely advertised as a dictator Mr. Platt has suffered considerable of a slump at both ends of his now would afterward be ashamed. Never lose sight of the fact that the people hour relatives, or of which darly on would afterward be ashamed. Never lose sight of the fact that the people hour to dare to converse on before pure-minded friends and one enormities committed nor city is no excuse for filling the pages of a newspaper which dally as a whole want a clean press, which every member of the family, from the household afterward be ashamed. Never lose sight of the fact that the people in our city is no excuse for filling the pages of a newspaper which dally as a whole want a clean press, which every member of the family, from the household afterward be ashamed. Never lose sight of the fact that the people in our city is no excuse for filling the pages of a newspaper which dally as a whole want a clean press, which every member of the family, from the household afterward be ashamed. Never lose sight of the fact that the event which dare to converse on before pure-minded friends and one enormities committed nor city is no excuse for filling the pages of a newspaper which dally as a whole want a clean press, which every member of the family. The more than the lowest in the form of the tousand and one enormities committed nor city is no excuse for filling the pages of a newspaper which dally as a whole want a clean press, which every member of the family. The more character to converse on before pure-minded in the form of the family. The more character to converse on before pure-minded in the form of the family. The more than the lowest that the tousand on the converse on the family. The sum of the family of the family of the family of the family. Tweed either do not know what the That court at Cleveland, Onio, that resemble newspaper crossing the support of the people.

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Pastor Zion German Lutheran Church, Brooklyn.

Rev. J. B. Remensnyder's Full Expression.

To the Editor of the New York Journal:

It must be admitted by any one disposed to be just that the position of a modern newspaper is a trying one. It must steer its course between the Scylla of the moral censor and the equally fatal Charybdis of popular dis-The railroads that have been engaged in the pooling business favor. If it pander to a low and coarse taste it becomes a moral poison to the would vote to give him an annual pension for the benefits he will be sure to said the Supreme Court to their list of dangerous community, whereas, on the other hand, if it fails to give the public what it demands, it will be doomed to a limited circulation and to financial loss,

> gross immoralities, crimes and murders should be most sparingly and delicately treated.

> Another point is that news should not be given 'n a sensational form, so em bellished that you can scarcely get at the facts, so amplified and imagina-

tively treated that one has to wade through a weary column of irrelevant de

scription to get at a few grains of solid matter.
Once more, the news should be fairly given. I refer especially to political
New Haven, Conn., March 26.—While it is difficult to catalogue the things that might be published, it seems to me there are certain things which any publican journal of a Democratic Administration, or by a Democratic of a Republican Administration or party leader, indicates a low civilization. Faisification and intolerance toward a man, simply because of an honest difference The Journal does not, like many well-purposing people, July 2, 1890, commonly known as the Sherman act, has been think politics ignoble. It does not believe to-day, when consolidation is practically an accomplished fact and the binations have been the sole sufferers from its provisions. charter is virtually accepted, that the part of wise and patriotic citizens lies either in exulting over the enormous population thereby gained to New York—population which for all intents and purposes we had already—nor in belatedly criticising the admittedly weak features of the chart of the act to labor unions was first raised vidual.

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> J. B. REMENSNYDER, Pastor Madison Avenue English Lutheran Church

By the Rev. S. J. McPherson, of Chicago:

of news suppressed, but neither would I lay bare the entire anatomy of indecency. It is necessary, for instance, to report the fact of a hanging, but it is not necessary to give all the minute details. By this I do not mean that objectionable matter should be pushed into inconspicuous parts of the paper It should be so edited as to warrant its publication on any page.

By Archbishop Ireland.

Washington, D. C., March 26.—The American people cannot afford to support a journalism whose principal features are sensation and untruth. They must rise to a higher plane if they will accomplish their high destiny. A good paper

By the Rev. R. Heber Newton.

Stilson Hutchins on Journalism.

To the Editor of the New York Journal:

Washington, D. C., March 26.-Much that is trivial appears in the newspapers which is neither worth the trouble of publishing nor of reading, but anything that occurs of sufficient importance to warrant the telling by one another is a proper subject for a newspaper to print to the extent of its full

I do not care what name is given to the Journal's kind of journalism, it sults me and is, in my opinion, a distinct advance on meritorious lines. Compression, but not omission, should be the motto.

STILSON HUTCHINS, Editor and Proprietor of the Washington Times.

Col. Perry S. Heath's Distinctions.

To the Editor of the New York Journal:

Washington, D. C., March 26 .- Anything that will impress the reader that he is rendered an equivalent for his investment is justifiable from a business point of view, and anything that does not degrade the morals of the community is justified by the public PERRY S. HEATH, First Assistant Postmaster-General.

By Bronson Howard, Dramatist.

I would not suppress anything; no index expurgatorius is possible. What I and misrepresent. Unearth villainy and expose rascallty, but be just and fair, object to is the exploiting of commonplace crime. Put the statement that a The ideal Mayor of Greater New York would be a man without party alliances, who would neither hire nor disword conspiracy is neither necessary nor permissible. On the long run to cater to the diseased appetites of people who demand unhealthy intelligence. Write only that to which you can suffix your name, and don't but I do not be a man had chopped his wife on the head with an axe in twenty lines. The current of human life must flow onward, and I want to know all that is occurring: but I desire to lead a happy life, unharrowed by the appalling acts of members of the human race.

Nothing that happens should be suppressed. All the criminal asks is to have crime kept out of the public prints. A New York paper suppressed all mention of the recent prize fight, under the impression that by so doing it was advancing the cause of morality. What nonsense! Suppressing the facts will never deter prize fighters from going into the ring. Ex-Senator Ingalls's letter, showing how commonplace and devoid of brutality was the exhibition, is worth a hun-

Plays cannot be written for eighteen-year-old girls. The boldest play produced on the stage in a generation, "Sowing the Wind," was commended by Well-fed and well-clothed gentlemen whose minds are now occupied principally by the tariff question, the Cretan situation, or the price of stocks and situation, or the price of stocks and situation in many years. But it is not so much the achievement of any public man should be printed. The public should be made acquainted with them. I would not have a paper delving into a man's private character recitics because of the masterly manner in which the author handled a delicate for the mere sake of delving, but when that character needs ventilation it should lead to the thought that it is the treatment a subject recitics because of the masterly manner in which the author handled a delicate for the mere sake of delving but when that character needs ventilation it should lead to the thought that it is the treatment a subject recitics because of the masterly manner in which the author handled a delicate for the mere sake of delving but when that character needs ventilation it should lead to the thought that it is the treatment a subject recitics because of the masterly manner in which the author handled a delicate for the mere sake of delving but when that character needs ventilation it should lead to the thought that it is the treatment a subject recitics because of the masterly manner in which the author handled a delicate for the mere sake of delving but when that character needs ventilation it is the treatment of the mere sake of delving but when that character needs ventilation it is the treatment of the mere sake of delving but when that character needs ventilation it is the treatment of the mere sake of delving because of the masterly manner in which the author handled a delicate for the mere sake of delving because of the masterly manner in which the author handled a conviction under a section of the converted for the mere sake of delving because of the masterly manner in which them. I would not have a paper delving to the mere sake of delving because of the masterly manner in which them. I would not have a pa is room for everybody.

I am a great believer in pictures, and the part they play in the telling of a story is of the utmost importance. More information is often conveyed, at a glane, through the eye than a column of letter press will impart. In this direction great progress has been made recently

Truth is the main thing. But I would insist that there be no undue exploitation of commonplace crime. Understand, it is as essential for me to compresecured a divorce, it is not news to be told again and again, with all its vicious worthy of proper treatment. But I do not want to be bored by the common

records of the divorce courts, going into details that no New York paper would dare to publish; but I never have heard any criticism of that journal. Look how the London journals report murders and scandal trials! They shock no-

This world is full of hypocrisy and cant. It is impossible to please every-

Rabbi Wise's Ideas on News Proprieties.

dividing newspaper." I would answer-in less than two hundred words-"all the news the sufferers, ask for financial aid from the charitable, hig a nation into presperity. Instead of being deceived the so- the bran from the chaff and giving to humanity only that which belongs to that's fit to print"-for such news would include all that is "justifiable and proper." This is not begging the question, nor should it be necessary to define

The question before me, however, suggests the larger problem with which it is intimately correlated, and upon whose solution it entirely depends—"What is the function of the newspaper?"

Is it to be regarded solely as a business venture on the part of its pub

livelihood. Indirectly, and yet none the less effectively and uncompromisingly the newspaper must stand for the highest moral and civic interests of the

WEATHER FOR TO-DAY, - Fair to partly cloudy weather; northerly winds.

THE LIST OF TO-NIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS.

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